

IN THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listing of claims, in the Application.

Listing of claims:

1. (Currently amended) A method of executing one remote command ~~commands~~ concurrently on a plurality of remote computer systems comprising the steps of:

entering ~~[[a]]~~ the remote command on a command line in a local command interface, ~~said command to be executed by said computer systems;~~

entering an address for each one of the plurality of remote computer systems in a group section in the local command interface;

sending the command for execution by the plurality of remote computer systems;

automatically determining, in response to sending the command for execution, whether each one of the plurality of ~~each of said~~ computer systems is accessible ~~accessibility~~; and

deleting the address of each one of the plurality of computer systems that is determined to be not accessible from the group section;

dispatching said command to the computer systems that are determined to be accessible in order for the command to be concurrently executed by each one of the computer systems whose address is left in the group section; and

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returning a result of the execution of the command by each one of the plurality of computer systems to which the command is dispatched.

2. (Currently amended) The method of Claim [[1]] 21 wherein said step of automatically determining the computer systems accessibility includes the step of pinging each of said computer systems.
3. Canceled.
4. Canceled.
5. (Currently amended) The method of Claim [[4]] 2 further including the step of automatically re-dispatching the command for execution to a computer system that failed to execute the command successfully and was corrected.
6. (Currently amended) A computer program product in a computer readable medium for executing one remote command ~~commands~~ concurrently on a plurality of remote computer systems comprising:

code means for allowing [[a]] the remote command to be entered on a command line in a local command interface, ~~said command to be executed by said computer systems~~ in a local command interface;

code means for entering an address for each one of the plurality of remote computer systems in a group section in the local command interface;

code means for sending the command for execution by the plurality of remote computer systems;

code means for automatically determining, in response to sending the command for execution, whether each one of the plurality of ~~each of said~~ computer systems is accessible accessibility; and

code means for deleting the address of each one of the plurality of computer systems that is determined to be not accessible from the group section;

code means for dispatching said command to the computer systems that are determined to be accessible in order for the command to be concurrently executed by each one of the computer systems whose address is left in the group section; and

code means for returning a result of the execution of the command by each one of the plurality of computer systems to which the command is dispatched.

7. (Currently amended) The computer program product of Claim ~~[[6]]~~ 22 wherein said code means for automatically determining the computer systems accessibility includes code means for pinging each of said computer systems.
8. Canceled.
9. Canceled.
10. (Currently amended) The computer program product of Claim ~~[[9]]~~ 7 further including code means for automatically re-dispatching the

command for execution to a computer system that failed to execute the command successfully and was corrected.

11. (Currently amended) An apparatus for executing one remote command ~~commands~~ concurrently on a plurality of remote computer systems comprising:

means for entering ~~[[a]]~~ the remote command on a command line in a local command interface, ~~said command to be executed by said computer systems;~~

means for entering an address for each one of the plurality of remote computer systems in a group section in the local command interface;

means for sending the command for execution by the plurality of remote computer systems;

means for automatically determining, in response to sending the command for execution, whether each one of the plurality of ~~each of said~~ computer systems is accessible ~~accessibility~~; and

means for deleting the address of each one of the plurality of computer systems that is determined to be not accessible from the group section;

means for dispatching said command to the computer systems that are determined to be accessible in order for the command to be concurrently executed by each one of the computer systems whose address is left in the group section; and

means for returning a result of the execution of the command by each one of the plurality of computer systems to which the command is dispatched.

12. (Currently amended) The apparatus of Claim ~~[[11]]~~ 23 wherein said means for automatically determining the computer systems accessibility includes means for pinging each of said computer systems.

13. Canceled.

14. Canceled.

15. (Currently amended) The apparatus of Claim 44 12 further including means for automatically re-dispatching the command for execution to a computer system that failed to execute the command successfully and was corrected.

16. (Currently amended) A computer system for executing one remote ~~command~~ ~~commands~~ concurrently on a plurality of remote computer systems comprising:

at least a memory device for storing data;

at least a processor for processing the data to allow ~~allowing a~~ the remote command to be entered on a command line in a local command interface; ~~said command to be executed by said network computer systems to enter~~ an address for each one of the plurality of remote computer systems in a group section in the local command interface, to send the command for execution by the plurality of remote computer systems, to ~~for~~ automatically determine ~~determining, in response to sending the command for execution, whether each one of the plurality of~~ ~~each of said computer~~

- systems is accessible accessibility, and to delete the address of each one of the plurality of computer systems that is determined to be not accessible from the group section, to dispatch for dispatching said command to the network computer systems that are determined to be accessible in order for the command to be concurrently executed by each one of the computer systems whose address is left in the group section, and to return a result of the execution of the command by each one of the plurality of computer systems to which the command is dispatched.
17. (Currently amended) The computer system of Claim ~~[[16]]~~ 24 wherein said processor automatically determines the network computer systems operability by pinging each of said network computer systems.
18. Canceled.
19. Canceled.
20. (Currently amended) The computer system of Claim ~~19~~ 16 wherein the at least one processor further re-dispatches the command automatically to a network computer system that failed to execute the command successfully and was corrected.
21. (New) The method of Claim 1 wherein the result is streamed.
22. (New) The computer program product of Claim 6 wherein the result is streamed.
23. (New) The apparatus of Claim 11 wherein the result is streamed.
24. (New) The computer system of Claim 16 wherein the result is streamed.

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